GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:292
ANSWERED ON:05.12.2007
PROPOSAL FOR FOUR LANING OF NH
Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received proposals from various State Governments for conversion of stretches of National Highways into four lanes;

(b) if so, the details thereof, stretch-wise and State-wise; and

(c) the action taken by the Union Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI T.R. BAALU)

(a) to (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 292 FOR ANSWER ON 05.12.2007 ASKED BY SHRI G.M. SIDDESWARA REGRDING PROPOSAL FOR FOUR LANING OF NH

(a) to (c) The Central Government is responsible for development of National Highways (NHs) including four laning of NHs. Four laning of NHs, which are not included in any programme of National Highways Development Project (NHDP) is decided based on the traffic density, availability of funds, inter-se priority and provisions in the Annual Plan. The State-wise details of the proposals and estimates received from various State Governments for the Annual Plan 2007-08 for conversion of stretches of National Highways (NHs) into four lanes and the action taken in this regard are given in the annexure. These stretches of NHs are other than the stretches of NHs being developed to four/six lane standards under different phases of NHDP.